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The following documents are hereby submitted:


- ☒ Amendment and Response (12 pages)
- ☒ Transmittal Sheet
- ☒ Return postcard

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**AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE UNDER 37 C.F.R. 1.111 TO NON-FINAL
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This constitutes a bona fide and good faith response under 37 C.F.R. 1.111 to the Non-Final Office Action mailed on 22 April 2005. The U.S. Patent and Trademark Office is hereby authorized to debit any costs and fees associated with the filing of this Amendment and to withdraw any necessary funds from Deposit Account Number 50-1391 and credit any excess payments thereto.

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